

Guidance for staff working with patients and service users in face-to-face settings
H&SC Staff Asymptomatic Testing

LFD test twice-weekly:
Health & Social
Care staff who
Have face to face
Patient contact
ONLY

Positive
result

Negative
result

Log result onto
www.covidtestingportal.scot
Stay off work for 5 full days. Day
0 is the day of test.
**Confirmatory PCR tests are no
longer required.**

Log result onto
www.covidtestingportal.scot
and continue as normal

From Day 5

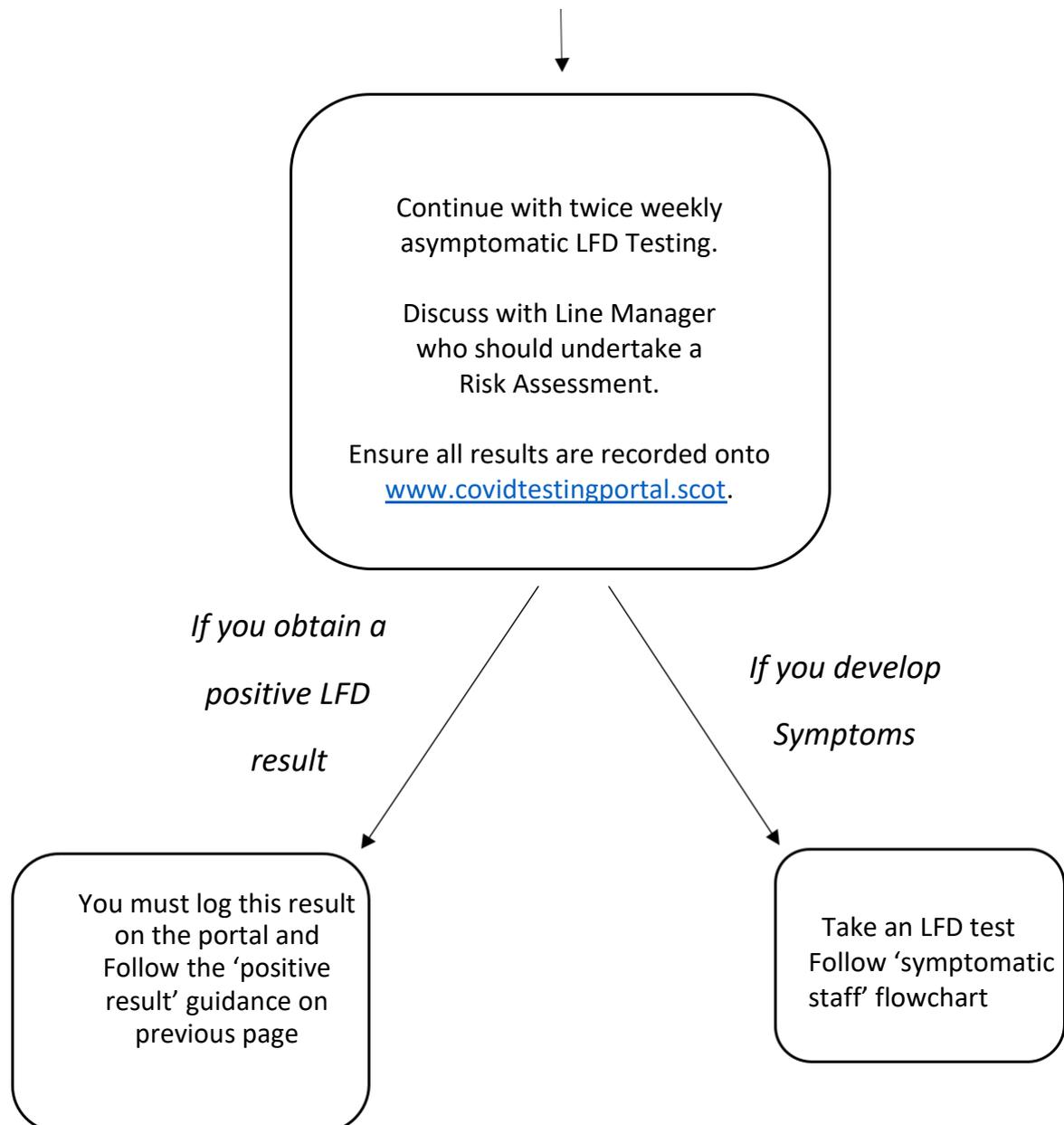
Take daily LFD tests from Day 5 onwards. If you have two negative results at least 24 hours apart and you have not had a fever for the past 48 hours (without taking any medication to reduce your temperature) you can return to work. **Remember to log ALL results onto the portal.** Staff who have returned to work from day 6 onwards **should not work** with individuals on the [highest clinical risk list](#) for the remainder of the 10 day period. If you develop new symptoms at any time you should not attend work and take a LFD test.

If you are still positive on Day 10



Discuss this with your Line Manager who may undertake a Risk Assessment to facilitate a return to work.

H&SC Asymptomatic Staff who have Household member with a positive result



Symptomatic Staff

(Regardless of vaccination status)

